IN THE CLAIMS:

Claims 1-13 are pending in this application. Please amend claims 1 and 5 - 13 as follows:

- 1. (Currently Amended) A liquid crystal display device, comprising:
 - a transmissive type liquid crystal display panel which sandwiches a liquid crystal layer between a pair of substrates; and
 - a backlight which is arranged at a back face of the liquid crystal display panel and has a light source and a reflector [[and]], wherein the liquid crystal display device is capable of performing <u>as</u> a transmissive display which uses light from the light source and <u>as</u> a reflective display which uses [[an]] external light incident from a front face side of the liquid crystal display panel by reflecting the external light on the reflector,

the improvement being characterized in that a polarizer is arranged between the back-face-side substrate of the pair of substrates and the backlight, the polarizer being formed to absorb polarized light having a predetermined polarization direction, and

at least two or more light diffusion layers are arranged between the back-faceside substrate out of the pair of substrates and the reflector of the backlight.

- 2. (Original) A liquid crystal display device according to claim 1, wherein at least one of the light diffusion layers is constituted of a diffusion plate or a diffusion sheet.
- 3. (Original) A liquid crystal display device according to claim 1, wherein at least one of the light diffusion layers is constituted of a diffusion tacky adhesive material.
- 4. (Original) A liquid crystal display device according to claim 1, wherein at least one of the light diffusion layers is constituted of a diffusion film.
- 5. (Currently Amended) A liquid crystal display device, comprising:
 - a transmissive type liquid crystal display panel which sandwiches a liquid crystal layer between a pair of substrates,
 - a light source,

a light guide body which is arranged at a back face side of the liquid crystal display panel and on which light from the light source is incident, and

a reflector which is arranged at a back face of the light guide body, [[and]] wherein the liquid crystal display device is capable of performing as a transmissive display which uses light from the light source and as a reflective display which uses [[an]] external light incident from a front face side of the liquid crystal display panel by reflecting the external light on the reflector,

the improvement being characterized in that a polarizer is arranged between the back-face-side substrate of the pair of substrates and the backlight, the polarizer being formed to absorb polarized light having a predetermined polarization direction, and

at least two or more light diffusion layers are arranged between the back-faceside substrate out of the pair of substrates and the light guide body.

- 6. (Currently Amended) A liquid crystal display device according to claim 5, wherein the liquid crystal display device includes
 - [[a]] the polarizer which is being arranged between the back-face-side substrate [[out]] of the pair of substrates and the light guide body, and

the light diffusion layer which is being arranged between the back-face-side substrate and the polarizer.

- 7. (Currently Amended) A liquid crystal display device according to claim 5, wherein the liquid crystal display device includes
 - [[a]] the polarizer which is being arranged between the back-face-side substrate [[out]] of the pair of substrates and the light guide body, and
 - a diffusion tacky adhesive material which is being arranged between the backface-side substrate and the polarizer and acts as at least one of the light diffusion layer layers.
- 8. (Currently Amended) A liquid crystal display device according to claim 5, wherein the liquid crystal display device includes
 - [[a]] the polarizer which is being arranged between the back-face-side substrate [[out]] of the pair of substrates and the light guide body, and

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At least one of the light diffusion layer which is layers being arranged on a surface of the polarizer at a side where the light guide body is positioned.

- 9. (Currently Amended) A liquid crystal display device according to claim 5, wherein the liquid crystal display device includes [[a]] the polarizer being provided with an antiglare layer which is arranged between the back-face-side substrate [[out]] of the pair of substrates and the light guide body and acts as the light diffusion layer.
- 10. (Currently Amended) A liquid crystal display device according to claim 5, wherein the liquid crystal display device includes
 - [[a]] the polarizer which is being arranged between the back-face-side substrate [[out]] of the pair of substrates and the light guide body,
 - a reflection polarizer which is arranged between the polarizer and the light guide body, and

the light diffusion layer which is being arranged between the polarizer and the reflection polarizer.

- 11. (Currently Amended) A liquid crystal display device according to claim 5, wherein the liquid crystal display device includes
 - [[a]] the polarizer which is being arranged between the back-face-side substrate [[out]] of the pair of substrates and the light guide body,
 - a reflection polarizer which is arranged between the polarizer and the light guide body, and
 - a diffusion tacky adhesive material which is arranged between the polarizer and the reflection polarizer and acts at least one of as the light diffusion layer layers.
- 12. (Currently Amended) A liquid crystal display device according to claim 5, wherein the liquid crystal display device includes
 - [[a]] the polarizer which is being arranged between the back-face-side substrate [[out]] of the pair of substrates and the light guide body,
 - a reflection polarizer which is arranged between the polarizer and the light guide body,

at least one of the light diffusion layer which is layers being arranged between the back-face-side substrate and the polarizer, and

the at least one of the light diffusion layer which is layers being arranged between the polarizer and the reflection polarizer.

13. (Currently Amended) A liquid crystal display device according to claim 5, wherein the liquid crystal display device includes a diffusion plate or a diffusion sheet which acts as one of the light diffusion layers and the diffusion plate or the diffusion sheet is arranged at a position closest to the light guide body among the at least two or more light diffusion layers.